

## Message Text

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ACTION ARA-14

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FM AMEMBASSY ASUNCION

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2342

INFO AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES

AMEMBASSY LA PAZ

AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

UNCLAS ASUNCION 0714

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EALR, ENRG, PA

SUBJ: EXACO CAPS SECOND EXPLORATORY WELL

REF: 77 ASUNCION 4751 AND 77 ASUNCION 3764

AFTER DRILLING TO A DEPTH OF 3400 METERS, TEXACO-MARATHON CAPPED ITS SECOND EXPLORATORY WELL ON FEBRUARY 12. ALTHOUGH SOME OIL-BEARING ROCK WAS PRESENT, THE COMPANY DID NOT FIND COMMERCIAL DEPOSITS OF EITHER GAS OR OIL. DRILLING ON THE THIRD AND FINAL WELL INCLUDED IN THE COMPANY'S EXPLORATORY PROGRAM WILL BEGIN AS SOON AS THE EQUIPMENT CAN BE MOVED TO THE NEW SITE.  
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## Message Attributes

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